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For: A WIND-POWER GENERATOR POD CONSTITUTED BY THE BODY OF AN

ELECTRICITY GENERATOR

## NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Sir:

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